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NEW SOVIET EQUIPMENT FOR FOOD AND LIGHT INDUSTRY

MEAT-PROCESSING MACHINES -- Moscow, Pravda, 13 Aug 1953

The Poltava Myasomolmash Plant, which makes equipment for the meat and dairy industry, is seeking new ways of increasing labor productivity and of saving steel.

After examining the norms for the consumption of materials in 1954, it was determined that by introducing new norms, hundreds of tons of ferrous and non-ferrous metals could be saved. The saving in hot-rolled metal alone will make it possible to build 50 steam boilers and tens of conveyer lines.

The plant was first in mastering the production of conveyers for automatizing all the production processes at meat combines. The plant is now completing the first lot of such conveyers for the Poltava, Dnepropetrovsk, Armavir, Kaunas, Darnitskiy, and other meat combines.

Kiev, Pravda Ukrainy, 6 Sep 53

A machine-building plant was constructed in Poltava in the postwar years for producing equipment for the meat industry. The plant supplies meat combines and canneries with new machines.

The plant recently mastered the production of conveyers for meat combines. In August, the plant fulfilled its plan for commodity products by 103 percent.

CANDY-WRAPPING MACHINE -- Leningradskaya Pravda, 13 Aug 53

The Confectionery Factory imeni Mikoyan has built a machine which wraps soft candy at the rate of 120 pieces a minute. The machine, when compared with hand wrapping, accelerates the production process ten times.

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KIEV PLANTS PRODUCE EQUIPMENT FOR FOOD AND LIGHT INDUSTRY -- Yerevan, Kommunist, 6 Sep 53

The Kiev Plant of Glavpishchemash has sent a consignment of automatic transfer machine lines for making toffee to confectionery enterprises in Taganrog, Molotov, Cheboksary, and L'vov.

The plant has produced automatic dough-proportioning machines for the bread-baking industry. Production of a three-zone gas oven which can bake up to 18 tons of biscuit per shift has been started.

The Kiev Bol'shevik Plant has greatly increased its output of equipment for the sugar, silk, rubber, and other industries.

The Kiev Ukramashdetal' Plant is producing modern equipment for sewing, footwear, and tricot enterprises.

FOOD-PROCESSING EQUIPMENT AND CONSUMER GOODS -- Moscow, Izvestiya, 28 Aug 53

The shops of the new Commercial Equipment Plant of the Estonian Unions of Consumer Societies are located in the outskirts of Tallin. The plant makes machines and equipment for such users as stores and bakeries. In September the plant will complete its year plan in the output of Khr-1 ovens for village bakeries. It has fulfilled its year plan for the manufacture of shredding machines for cabbage and of juice presses having a capacity of 400 liters.

The plant also produces combination and hand meat grinders, various types of folding carts, and metal barrels for benzine, kerosene, and vegetable oil.

The plant is expanding its variety of types of products. It will begin producing pruing and corking machines for enterprises of the nonalcoholic beverages industry, dough-kneading machines for bakeries, and Pioneer flour-sifting machines.

NEW MACHINES FOR FOOD INDUSTRY -- Kiev, Pravda Ukrainy, 29 Aug 53

The Rostov Machine Building Plant of Glavmashdetal', Ministry of Light and Food Industry, has perfected new machines for food enterprises. The plant is turning out macaroni presses for village bakeries, multistage sedimentation tanks for sugar plants, and semiautomatic units for the production of high-grade oils.

INVENTIONS AND NEW MACHINERY -- Moscow, Izvestiya, 31 May 53

At the suggestion of the Moldavian Council of NITO (Scientific Engineering and Technical Societies) the Ministry of Food and Light Industry was commissioned by the Council of Ministers of the Moldavian SSR to build an experimental model of a wine press designed by V. F. Krolenko and to test it under production conditions.

The council of NITO also promoted the introduction of a stone-cutting machine invented by Galanin, engineer, which has raised the productivity in obtaining material for boiler shells 13 fold.

Members of the society are concerned with scientific and practical problems such as the development of a new technology for producing vegetable oil, the perfection of theodolites which makes it possible to measure within the limits of 50 meters without the use of measuring tape, and the construction of an original automatic pump for pumping the must of wines under pressure without their coming in contact with the air.

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NEW VEGETABLE-DRYING MACHINE -- Moscow, Pravda, 26 Jul 53

The Melitopol' Plant imeni Vorovskiy built the first model of a new vegetable-drying machine which can process 35 tons of raw vegetables a day.

A state commission tested the machine at the Melitopol' Canning Plant, noted its high operating qualities, and recommended it for series production. After receiving the commission's decision, the plant began production of the first series of the machines on 25 July.

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